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Retired LAPD Detective Pleads in Child Porn Case

A retired Los Angeles Police Department detective pleaded no contest today to one count of possession of child pornography, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Charles Daniel Henderson, 69, entered his plea before Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge Renee Korn. He is scheduled to return to court on May 27 when he is expected to be placed on probation for five years, ordered to register as a sex offender for life, undergo one year of sex offender counseling and perform 30 days of community labor.

Deputy District Attorney Samer Hathout of the High Tech Crime Division said Henderson, who worked at LAPD for roughly 20 years, said more than 600 images of child or youth pornography was found at Henderson's home in Downey after a search warrant was served in October.

Case BA433612 was investigated by the Downey Police Department.

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Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to seeking justice for victims of crime and enhancing public safety. Last year, the <u>Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office</u> prosecuted more than 71,000 felony defendants and nearly 112,000 misdemeanor defendants.